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For : METHOD FOR DETERMINING AND MONITORING THE AGEING OF THE
BLOOD BAGS IN BLOOD TRANSFUSION UNITS AND HEALTHCARE UNITS

**SUPPLEMENTAL CLAIM OF PRIORITY
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Further to the Claim of Priority filed April 16, 2004 and as required by 37 C.F.R. 1.55,
Applicant hereby submits a certified copy of the application upon which the right of priority is
granted pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §119, i.e., of French Application No. 01/13410, filed October 18,
2001.

Respectfully submitted,
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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Neil F. Greenblum".

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